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"PRINTING DEVICE AND METHOD TO TRANSFER INK ONTO A RECORDING MEDIUM BY USE OF SPARK

**DISCHARGE**"

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicant requests that citation and examination of the reference identified on the attached PTO-1449 form, a copy of which is enclosed herewith in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.98, be made during the course of examination of the above-mentioned application for United States Patent.

Enclosed is a copy of Milan Mikula, et al. "The Destructive Effect of a Pulse Discharge in Water Suspensions," Plasma Sources Science Technology, Vol. 6, pages 179-184, (1997), for the Examiner's consideration. The reference provides calculations for modeling energy conversion of a spark discharge in a water suspension.

Favorable consideration of the present application in view of the enclosed art is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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